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For: FLUIDISED BED PURIFICATION OF BIO-MACROMOLECULES SUCH AS PLASMID DNA, CHROMOSOMAL DNA, RNA, VIRAL DNA, BACTERIA AND VIRUSES

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Please advise the undersigned as to the status of the above-identified application as follows:

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Please call Sharon Perry, at 703-205-8090 extension 6666 if there are any questions with regard to the present request.

Respectfully submitted,

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